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FOR DR. BEAUBIEN, OES/SCI, FROM SCICOUNS

E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: SHIPMENT OF VIROLOGICAL MATERIAL

1. DR. YUKISHIGE INOUE, INSTITUTE OF VIRUS RESEARCH, KYOTO UNIVERSITY

,
HAS INFORMED EMBASSY SCIENCE OFFICER THAT HE EXPECTS SHIPMENT OF
VIROLOGICAL MATERIAL FROM DR. SEVER OF NIH. INOUE UNDERSTANDS
THAT SHIPMENT WILL BE MADE VIA POUCH WITH YOUR ASSISTANCE.
MATERIAL IS SUPPOSED TO BE MAINTAINED BELOW - 70 DEGREES C, AND
IS, THEREFORE, TO BE SHIPPED WITH ADEUQATE DRY ICE FOR DURATION
OF SHIPMENT.

2. EMBASSY HAS SOME DOUBT WHETHER MAINTEANANCE OF TEMPERATURE
THROUGHOUT POUCH SHIPMENT FEASIBLE. IF IT IS CONSIDERED FEASIBLE,
AND IF SHIPMENT IS MADE, PLEASE ADVISE EXPECTED TIME OF ARRIVAL
SO THAT SHIPMENT CAN BE RECOVERED FROM POUCH PROMPTLY ON ARRIVAL.

3. DR. INOUE IS INTERESTEDIN RECEIVING MATERIAL AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE.
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